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HAVING A CERAMIC MATRIX COMPOSITE OUTER LAYER

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Preliminary Amendment is presented in the "Revised Amendment Format" that is now permitted pursuant to the *Official Gazette* Notice of February 25, 2003. Please amend the above-identified application according to the attached pages.

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